GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL MUSEUM FOR INTANGIBLE HERITAGE
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the IGNCA take care of Intangible Heritage;

(b) whether the Government propose to set up the National Museum for Intangible Heritage;

(c) if so, details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S.JAIPAL REDDY)

(a),(b),(c)&(d): A proposal for launching of 'A National Mission for Preservation of India's Intangible Cultural Heritage', with Indira Gandhi National Centre for Arts as the nodal agency, is presently under active consideration of the Government. The Government does not propose to set up a National Museum for Intangible Heritage.